



## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

## **MAIL STOP AMENDMENT**

In re Patent Application of

Lionel BRETON et al.

Filing Date:

Application No.: 09/888,015

June 25, 2001

IN A COSMETIC FIRMING COMPOSITION

Enclosed is a reply for the above-identified patent application.

for which continued examination is requested.

Applicant(s) requests suspension of action by the Office until at least

§ 1.103(c). The required fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(i) is enclosed.

Title: USE OF CINNAMIC ACID OR ITS DERIVATIVES

Group Art Unit: 1615

Examiner: Retford O. Berko

Confirmation No.: 9059

## AMENDMENT/REPLY TRANSMITTAL LETTER

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

X	A Petition for Extension of Time is also enclosed.
	Terminal Disclaimer(s) and the \$65.00 (2814) \$130.00 (1814) fee per Disclaimer due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.20(d) are also enclosed.
	Also enclosed is/are
	Small entity status is hereby claimed.
	Applicant(s) requests continued examination under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 and enclose the
	\$395.00 (2801) \$790.00 (1801) fee due under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e).
	Applicant(s) requests that any previously unentered after final amendments not be entered.
	Continued examination is requested based on the enclosed documents identified above.
	Applicant(s) previously submitted

enclosed.

which does not exceed three months from the filing of this RCE, in accordance with 37 C.F.R.

A Request for Entry and Consideration of Submission under 37 C.F.R. § 1.129(a) (1809/2809) is also

Attorney Docket No. 016800-450

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No additional claim fee is required.

An additional claim fee is required, and is calculated as shown below.

AMENDED CLAIMS									
	No. of Claims	Highes of Cla Previo Paid	aims usly		Extra Claims		Rate	•	Additional Fee
Total Claims	43	MINUS	75		0	x	\$50.00 (	(1202) =	\$ 0.00
Independent Claims	9	MINUS	9	=	0	x	\$200.00 (	(1201) =	\$ 0.00
If Amendment adds n	nultiple depen	dent claim	s, add	1 \$	360.00 (1203)				
Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 0.00				
Small Entity Status claimed - subtract 50% of Total Claim Amendment Fee					\$ 0.00				
TOTAL ADDITIONAL CLAIM FEE DUE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$ 0.00				

A check in the amount	of	_ is enclosed for the fee due
Charge	to Deposit Acco	ount No. 02-4800.
Charge	to credit card.	Form PTO-2038 is attached.

The Director is hereby authorized to charge any appropriate fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16, 1.17, 1.20(d) and 1.21 that may be required by this paper, and to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 02-4800. This paper is submitted in duplicate.

Respectfully submitted,

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